## **Education subcommittee**

Three educational venues

## 1. Audience—Self-funded plans and TPAs

- a. Invitees—All Montana self-funded plans and TPAs
- b. Format—2 hour gathering in Helena
- c. Convener-CSI
- d. Resource People—Council members
- e. Date-September
- f. Curriculum Outline
  - i. Clinical Trials 101
  - ii. Dispelling the myths (what the Council learned)
  - iii. Summary of Recommendations/Bill draft
  - iv. Standard agreement to share information between providers and payers
  - v. Participation of self funded plans
  - vi. Process for patient appeals of denials of coverage
- g. Materials
  - i. FAQs about trials
  - ii. Final report
  - iii. Standardized agreement
  - iv. Voluntary commitment form
  - v. Appeals process (from CSI)
- h. Budget

## 2. Audience—Cancer clinics staff/patient advocates

- a. Invitees Cancer center staff, patient advocates, and payers
- b. Format—1-hour webinar (recorded)
- c. Convener—CSI
- d. Resource People—Council members
- e. Date—late September
- f. Curriculum Outline
  - i. Dispelling the myths (what the Council learned)
  - ii. Summary of Recommendations/Bill draft
  - iii. Standard agreement to share information between providers and payers
  - iv. Report on participation of fully-insured and self funded plans
  - v. Process for patient appeals of coverage denials
- g. Materials
  - i. FAQs about trials
  - ii. Final report
  - iii. Standardized agreement
  - iv. Appeals process (from CSI)
- h. Budget

## 3. Audience—Decision makers

- i. Invitees—legislators
- j. Format—??
- k. Convener—??

- I. Resource People—Council members
- m. Date—November/December/January??
- n. Curriculum Outline
  - i. Dispelling the myths (what the Council learned)
  - ii. Summary of Recommendations/Bill draft
  - iii. Report on participation of fully-insured and self funded plans
  - iv. Process for patient appeals of coverage denials (how could a legislator help a constituent)
- o. Materials
  - i. FAQs about trials
  - ii. Final report
  - iii. Appeals process (from CSI)
- p. Budget